

Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals

In Re Application of: Kee-Hung LAI et al.

Serial No.: 10/690,821

Examiner: Manuel L. BARBEE

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Group Art Unit: 2857

For:

METHOD AND INSTRUMENT FOR EVALUATING SUPPLY CHAIN

PERFORMANCE IN TRANSPORT LOGISTICS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals from the decision dated March 8, 2006 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1 - 9 and 11 - 12.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. X Applicant hereby petitions for any extensions of time for responding to the final rejection necessary to make this Notice of Appeal timely. Costs for same, if any, may be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1358 if not covered by an enclosed credit card form PTO-2038.
- 2. X A response to the final rejection has been filed.

3. X Appeal Fee:

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X \$ 250.00 Small Entity

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___ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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